

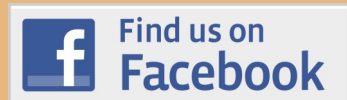


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HIGHLIGHTS

RETIREMENT RECEPTION FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH DIRECTOR OF THE BARTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT – Bonnie Brous

Joel Dermott, the Administrator of the Barton County Health Department, invites you to attend a retirement reception in honor of Bonnie Brous, Barton County Health Department's Public Health Director. The reception will be held on Thursday, June 30, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bonnie has given almost 34 years to public service. The celebration will be held in the conference room at the Barton County Health Department located at 1301 E. 12th Street, Lamar. Please come join us in celebrating Bonnie's retirement and thank her for her service to our community!

NEW ZIKA VIRUS WEBSITES

The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) has recently made available two new Zika websites; one is for medical providers and public health officials, and the second is for the general public. The Zika page for medical and public health professionals includes links to current clinical information and guidance, as well as epidemiological information on the virus and the occurrence of disease. It also contains specific information for Missouri providers regarding Zika testing of patients. The page is available at <http://health.mo.gov/emergencies/ert/med/zika.php>. The Zika page for the general public contains basic information about the Zika virus infection, and it includes links to more information on Zika and pregnancy, as well as to Zika-related information for travelers and steps everyone can take to control mosquitoes. The page is available at <http://health.mo.gov/living/healthcondiseases/communicable/zika/index.php>. For questions regarding Zika testing of patients, please contact DHSS' Bureau of Communicable Disease Control and Prevention at 573-751-6113, or 800-392-0272 (24/7). All other questions on Zika can be directed to DHSS' Office of Veterinary Public Health at 573-526-4780, or 800-392-0272 (24/7).

NATIONAL HIV TESTING DAY - June 27

Want the facts on Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) testing? Go to <http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/basics/testing.html>. You can easily refer individuals to where they can find HIV information and search for a testing site at gettested.cdc.gov. For HIV Testing Day campaign materials, please go to <http://www.cdc.gov/Features/HIVtesting/index.html>. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Bureau of HIV, STD, and Hepatitis encourage the use of routine, opt-out HIV screening in all healthcare settings. For more information, please visit <http://www.cdc.gov/actagainstaids/campaigns/tlc/recommendations/testingrec.html>.

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- [Save the Date: Environmental Child Care Fall Training Dates and Locations for 2016](#)
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- [Directory of LPHAs](#)
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- [Missouri Association of Local Public Health Agencies](#)
- [Missouri Institute for Community Health](#)
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- [CDC's Weekly Scientific Digest](#)
- [CDC Environmental Health Training Resources](#)
- [FDA Environmental Health Training](#)
- [Missouri Health Information Technology \(MO HIT\) Assistance Center](#)
- [Ozark Public Health Institute](#)
- [Heartland Centers](#)
- [Midwest Public Health Training Center](#)

FEEDBACK REQUESTED

Each year, the Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) receives funds from the federal government in the form of a Maternal and Child Health Block Grant. This grant requires the DHSS to seek input from consumers and partners regarding our proposed use of funds. As a partner with the DHSS in serving pregnant women, infants, children, adolescents, and/or families in Missouri, we are asking you to review the Proposed Use of Funds for Federal Fiscal Year 2017 (October 1, 2016 through September 30, 2017) and provide feedback to us. Information regarding this grant and the distribution of funds as proposed by the DHSS may be found at <http://health.mo.gov/information/publicnotices/publiccomment.php>. Please send your feedback on the proposed use of funds by e-mail to mch@health.mo.gov, **by July 4**. Alternatively, you may submit feedback via postal mail to Melinda Sanders, Title V Director, Grants Coordination Unit, Division of Community and Public Health, Department of Health and Senior Services, PO Box 570, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570. Thank you for taking the time to review these documents and provide comments to the DHSS as requested.

2016 TEXT4BABY STATE ENROLLMENT CONTEST

Since the launch of the nationwide Text4baby campaign, over 20,000 pregnant women and new mothers in Missouri have registered to receive free weekly text messages timed to their due date or baby's date of birth. In Missouri, text messages are customized to provide Missouri-specific phone numbers and websites. The 2016 Text4baby State Enrollment Contest is now underway to promote this mobile information service that offers critical health and safety information through text messaging. The competition among states continues until October 8, and it is the perfect opportunity to help pregnant women and new moms sign up for the service by texting "BABY" (or "BEBE" for Spanish) to 511411. Encourage dads to sign up too. Messages help fathers understand their baby's development and provide support for their partners. For more information, please visit www.text4baby.org or call 800-877-6246.

NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN FOR THE 2016 MISSOURI PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING AWARDS

To celebrate and acknowledge the great work of Missouri's public health nurses, the Council for Public Health Nursing is now accepting nominations for **two** awards. The [**Public Health Nursing Award**](#) is to honor and recognize a Missouri public health nurse working in a local public health agency or educational setting. The [**Public Health Nursing Leadership Award**](#) is to honor and recognize any Missouri nurse currently practicing in public health nursing. The criteria for the awards are based on the Quad Council Core Competencies for Public Health Nurses. More information on the Core Competencies in Public Health Nursing can be viewed at <http://www.achne.org/files/Quad%20CouncilQuadCouncilCompetenciesforPublicHealthNurses.pdf>. All nominations must be received by June 30. Recipients will be announced in June, with awards presented in September, at the Annual Joint Public Health Conference in Columbia. For questions, please contact Trina Teacutter by e-mail at trina.teacutter@como.gov or by phone at 573-874-7356. Please share with your colleagues, and encourage them to nominate their local public health nurse for this honor and recognition.

SHOW-ME ECHO

[Show-Me Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes \(ECHO\)](#) uses videoconferencing technology to bring together physician specialists and primary care providers (PCPs), to collaborate in a case-based learning environment and to develop advanced clinical skills and best practices. The program creates on-going learning communities in which PCPs receive support and develop the skills they need to treat the following six conditions: asthma, autism, chronic pain management, dermatology, endocrinology, and hepatitis C. Specialists serve as mentors and colleagues, sharing their medical knowledge and expertise with primary care clinicians. As a result, the PCPs provide comprehensive, best-practice care to patients with complex health conditions — right where they live.

There are six Show-Me ECHO clinics ([clinic schedule](#) is attached) currently:

- [Chronic Pain Management ECHO](#)
- [Derm ECHO](#)
- [ECHO Autism](#)
- [ENDO ECHO](#)
- [Hep. C ECHO](#)
- [Impact Asthma ECHO](#)

Each ECHO clinic consists of case presentations by PCPs and responses from the specialist team as well as other PCPs, followed by an instructional presentation. Anyone wishing to participate can submit a registration form found on the web site at showmeecho.com.

WIC UPDATES

The WIC Updates have been posted to the WIC web page. You can view the updates at <http://health.mo.gov/living/families/wic/wicupdates/index.php>. This week's updates include:

- 2016 Annual Retailer Training
- Updated "WIC Facts for Employers" Handout
- CEU Corner
- **JOB POSTING:** Part-Time WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counselor - City of St. Joseph Health Department

DHSS CORNER

DHSS JOB OPPORTUNITIES/NEWS:

The Department of Health and Senior Services does not have new job opportunities or news updates at this time.

MEETINGS, CONFERENCES, AND TRAININGS

OPEN REGISTRATION FOR THE 2016 PHEP CONFERENCE – June 28-29

Registration is now open for the 2016 Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Conference, sponsored by the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) and The State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA). This year's Keynote Speaker will be Lieutenant (Lt) J. Paul Vance of the Connecticut State Police. Lt. Vance will be presenting the 2012 Sandy Hook Elementary School incident. Additional presentation topics include Homegrown Violent Extremism, Zika Virus, Mass Fatality Resources, the 2016 National Mass Care Exercise, and much more! The conference will be held June 28 – 29 at the Holiday Inn Executive Center in Columbia. The conference is free! Please register for the conference at <https://health.mo.gov/emergencies/ert/phpconf16form.php>. A rate of \$100.70 per night has been designated for a block of rooms for this conference. For hotel questions please call 877-288-5143 or visit their website at <http://www.holidaycolumbia.com/>. Registration by June 12 will assure you a printed conference badge! Please click [here](#), for the tentative conference agenda.

SOUTHWEST REGION MNPH MEETING – July 1

The next meeting of the Missouri Nurses for Public Health (MNPH) Southwest Region will be on **Friday, July 1, from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.**, at the Southwest Center for Independent Living (SCIL) that is located at 2864 S. Nettleton Ave. in Springfield. The speakers will be from SCIL and Burrell Behavioral Health. The speaker from SCIL will provide information about their services and a tour of their facility. The speaker from Burrell will discuss mental health in Springfield, treatments available, and self-care strategies. Lunch will be provided by Ott's Pasta for \$6 – pay at the door. Lunch includes pasta, salad, breadstick, drink, dessert, and a raffle ticket! You may purchase additional raffle tickets for \$1/ticket. **Please RSVP by Friday, June 24, by contacting Shelby Sears at ssears@springfieldmo.gov.**

NACCHO, ANNUAL MAPP TRAINING – July 18-19

Are you interested in improving your community's health? Are you looking for practical ways to engage community partners? [Register today](#), and join us at the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO), Annual Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships (MAPP) training that will take place July 18-19, to learn how to take action steps toward a healthier community. This training will be held in Phoenix, AZ, in conjunction with the NACCHO annual conference. MAPP is a community-owned strategic planning process informed by comprehensive assessments for improving the public's health. MAPP works as a framework to help communities prioritize public health issues, identify resources for addressing them, and take action. As a MAPP training participant, you will learn the nuts and bolts of the MAPP process, hear stories from the field from MAPP users, and gain concrete skills for engaging community organizations, partners, and community members in your MAPP process. This is an introductory level training.

INVITATION TO ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP: FOCUS ON IMPLEMENTATION CONFERENCE – July 22

The University of Missouri is offering an outstanding educational program on Antimicrobial Stewardship, to take place on July 22, at the Peachtree Catering and Banquet Center in Columbia. This event is made possible through a contract with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (MDHSS), with monies they received from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Highlights of the educational program include:

- Featured speaker Arjun Srinivasan, MD , FSHEA (CAPT, USPHS)
- All sessions are based on a demonstrated educational need, and our content includes the latest evidence and cuts across practice settings and patient populations
- The focus is on translating the latest evidence into practically useful strategies
- 5.75 hours of continuing education credits will be awarded to physicians, pharmacists, and registered nurses (RNs)/ advanced practice registered nurses (APRNs)
- Low cost of \$50

Although we have identified a specific target audience of physicians, pharmacists, and RNs/APRNs, anyone interested in Antimicrobial Stewardship may attend. Further information and on-line registration can be found at <http://nursingoutreach.missouri.edu/antimicrobial16.aspx>.

SAVE THE DATE: ENVIRONMENTAL CHILD CARE FALL TRAINING DATES AND LOCATIONS FOR 2016

The trainings listed below will be from 8:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m. An agenda will be provided at a later date. Registration is not required.

- September 22 Southeast District Office, 1903 Northwood, Poplar Bluff
- September 28 Southwest District, Springfield Library, 4653 Campbell, Springfield
- October 12 Macon, Macon Comfort Inn, 1821 North Missouri, Macon
- October 18 Central District, 930 Wildwood, Jefferson City
- October 20 Eastern District, St. Louis County Health Dept., 6121 North Hanley, Berkeley
- ***PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN DATE FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT TRAINING***
- October 25 Northwest District Office, 3717 Whitney Ave, Independence

Local public health agencies (LPHAs) are reminded that paragraph 7 of the Child Care Sanitation Program Inspections Participation Agreement requires contractors to “ensure that all inspectors complete annual training provided by the Department”.

INTERMEDIATE INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM (ICS300) – September 27 – 29

The Missouri State Emergency Management Agency is sponsoring an Intermediate Incident Command System (ICS300) training, to be held September 27 - 29, at the Jefferson City Police Department. This course will address the functions of command with an Incident Command System (ICS). The focus for this course is on activating the necessary elements on the prolonged incident and the various forms and documentation to assist in the incident. Discussion will include the responsibilities of each section chief and the various branch, division, group, and unit leaders. Discussion will also include a short review of ICS and the National Incident Management System (NIMS). This course will provide a valuable command learning experience in a "real-time" learning environment. This course is highly recommended for emergency response personnel interested in learning how to effectively operate within a fully functional ICS. This course meets the NIMS Integration Center requirements of ICS level 300. Please click [here](#) for more information and for registration.

ADVANCED INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM (ICS400) – October 25 – 26

The Missouri State Emergency Management Agency is sponsoring an Advanced Incident Command System (ICS400) training, to be held October 25-26, at the Jefferson City Police Department. This course provides training on and resources for personnel who require advanced application of the Incident Command System (ICS). This course expands upon the information covered in the ICS100-ICS300 courses. The target audience for this course is senior personnel who are expected to perform in management capacity in an Area Command or Multi-Agency Coordination Entity. Please click [here](#) for more information and for registration.

For other training opportunities, please see [Links to Valuable Resources](#) that is on Page 2 of this Friday Facts publication.

LPHA JOB OPPORTUNITIES

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE MANAGER – Jackson County Health Department

The Jackson County Health Department is seeking applicants for a full-time Public Health Nurse Manager. This position will plan, coordinate, direct, and evaluate the activities and clinical services offered to individual clients and the community at large by the clinical nursing team. These services include: 1) child, adolescent, adult, and travel immunizations, 2) tuberculosis testing and case management, 3) sexually transmitted infection testing and treatment, 4) communicable disease investigation, 5) child care health consultation, and 6) community-wide events such as school screenings, immunization clinics, health fairs, etc. Minimum requirements include a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) and Missouri Registered Nurse (RN) license. Please click [here](#) to apply.

ACCOUNTING/HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGER – Jefferson County Health Department

The Jefferson County Health Department is accepting resumes for an Accounting/Human Resources Manager. A degree in accounting is required. Human resources experience is preferred. Please see our website at www.jeffcohealth.org, for further details. Benefit package includes paid vacation, holidays, and sick time; LAGERS Retirement system, and health and dental insurance. Please send resume to the Jefferson County Health Department, Attn: Human Resources Department, PO Box 437, Hillsboro, MO 63050. Alternatively, you may e-mail resumes to jeana.vidacak@jeffcohealth.org. Resumes will be accepted through July 5. The Jefferson County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH SPECIALIST – Jefferson County Health Department

The Jefferson County Health Department is accepting resumes for the position of Environmental Public Health Specialist I (EPHSI). Minimum requirements for this position include graduation from an accredited four-year college or university with substantial course work (30 semester hours minimum) in environmental health, biology, bacteriology or sanitary science, or in combination of these areas. At least one year recent experience in lodging and food establishment inspections is required. Being bilingual is a plus. Please see our website at www.jeffcohealth.org, for further details. Please send resume to the Jefferson County Health Department, Attn: Human Resources Department, PO Box 437, Hillsboro, MO 63050. Alternatively, you may e-mail resumes to jeana.vidacak@jeffcohealth.org. Resumes will be accepted through July 5. The Jefferson County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

HEALTH PROGRAM REPRESENTATIVE I – Jefferson County Health Department

The Jefferson County Health Department is accepting resumes for the position of Health Program Representative I to work in our Adults with Traumatic Brain Injury Program. Please see our website at www.jeffcohealth.org for further details. Benefit package includes paid vacation, holidays, and sick time; LAGERS Retirement system, and health and dental insurance. Please send resume to the Jefferson County Health Department, Attn: Human Resources Department, PO Box 437, Hillsboro, MO 63050. Alternatively, you may e-mail resumes to jeana.vidacak@jeffcohealth.org. Resumes will be accepted through July 5. The Jefferson County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

PUBLIC HEALTH EDUCATOR & OUTREACH COORDINATOR – Lincoln County Health Department

The Lincoln County Health Department has an opening for a full-time Public Health Educator and Outreach Coordinator. This position is combining coordination of program-specific public health education and agency outreach and messaging. This individual's primary responsibility is for management of the agency contract for the Maternal and Child Health Title V Block Grant. This position will also manage related programming within the scope of maternal and child health and seasonal nutritional programs. In addition, this individual will be responsible for the coordination of community outreach events and agency messaging, especially through social media. Please see full job description and application instructions at <http://www.lchdmo.org/employment-opportunities>, and please send resume to careers@lchdmo.org. To ensure consideration for this position, please submit resume and cover letter by July 8. The Lincoln County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE – Lincoln County Health Department

The Lincoln County Health Department has an opening for a full-time Public Health Nurse, to provide a wide range of services for clients. Services include immunizations, health screenings, laboratory testing and phlebotomy, health education, care coordination, and other services as needed. Duties may include working within the Vaccines for Children Program, Travel Immunizations, Communicable Disease Testing and Control, and other clinical areas. This individual will also assist with the identification, planning, coordination, and execution of other community health programs as needed. Must possess current license as a registered nurse as issued by the Missouri State Board of Nursing. Please see full job description and application instructions at <http://www.lchdmo.org/employment-opportunities>, and please send resume to careers@lchdmo.org. To ensure consideration for this position, please submit resume and cover letter by July 8. The Lincoln County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALIST – Miller County Health Center

The Miller County Health Center has a full-time position opening for an Environmental Health Specialist. We are looking for an individual who is familiar with environmental health practices and Missouri sanitation standards. Job duties will include inspections of food establishments, swimming pool facilities, lodging establishments, day care centers, individual wastewater systems, and other environmental related inspections. A four-year college degree is required with 30 hours of emphasis on biology, chemistry, bacteriology, environmental science, food science, or another closely related area. Interested parties may submit their resume and cover letter to bjenkins@millercountyhealth.com. Alternatively, you may mail them to the Miller County Health Center, P.O. Box 2, Tuscumbia, MO 65082, no later than Friday, July 8.

PART-TIME REGISTERED NURSE – Monroe County Health Department

The Monroe County Health Department is looking for a part-time Registered Nurse (RN) for their public health/home health agency. This position has the potential to become full-time. If you are interested in this position, please contact Paula Delaney, Monroe County Health Department, 310 North Market, Paris, MO. Paula may also be reached by phone at 660-327-4653 ext 240 or by e-mail at paula.delaney@lpha.mo.gov.

BILINGUAL ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK – Taney County Health Department

The Taney County Health Department (TCHD) seeks a Bilingual Administrative Clerk. This position will be for 32 hours/week. Minimum requirements for this position include being bilingual in Spanish and English, both oral and written, and possession of a high school diploma or GED. The person in this position must be a multi-tasker, have excellent computer skills, and excellent customer service is a plus. TCHD provides a comprehensive benefits package which includes paid vacation, holidays, sick time, LAGERS Retirement system, and health and dental insurance. To apply, please send a job application, letter of interest, and resume to the Taney County Health Department, Attn: Human Resource Department, 320 Rinehart Rd, Branson, MO 65616. Alternatively, you may submit them to tiffany.stevens@lpha.mo.gov. For essential duties and a job application, please visit <http://www.taneycohealth.org>. The Taney County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE – Taney County Health Department

The Taney County Health Department (TCHD) seeks a full-time Public Health Nurse. Responsibilities include communicable disease investigation and response, family planning, vaccinations, pregnancy testing, lead testing, and other public health program responsibilities as assigned. Requirements include a current registered nursing (RN) license in the State of Missouri and a Bachelor's Degree of Science in Nursing. One (1) year of work experience in nursing or a closely related field is required; however, lesser experience may be considered for the right candidate. The TCHD provides a comprehensive benefits package which includes paid vacation, holidays, and sick time; LAGERS Retirement system, and health and dental insurance. To apply, please send job application, letter of interest, and resume to the Taney County Health Department, Attn: Human Resource Department, 320 Rinehart Rd, Branson, MO 65616. Alternatively, you may send application materials to tiffany.stevens@lpha.mo.gov. Please visit <http://www.taneycohealth.org> for essential duties and a job application. The TCHD is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

TEMPORARY PROJECT COORDINATOR – Taney County Health Department

The Taney County Health Department is hiring a temporary, 40 hour per week Project Coordinator, for the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Team (ADAPT) Drug Free Communities Grant Project. Minimum requirements for this position include graduation from an accredited four year college or university, with a Bachelor's degree in the behavioral health sciences or related field. Experience with community coalition building and/or in substance abuse prevention and community development is a plus. This temporary position will end September 30. To apply, please send a job application, letter of interest, and resume to the Taney County Health Department, Attn: Human Resources Department, 320 Rinehart Rd, Branson, MO 65616. Alternatively, application materials may be e-mailed to tiffany.stevens@lpha.mo.gov. Applications will be accepted for this temporary position until the job is filled. For a job application and essential job duties, please visit <http://www.taneycohealth.org>. The Taney County Health Department is an equal opportunity employer and will consider applicants without regard to age, color, race, sex, religion, national origin, or disability as prescribed by federal and state laws.

Peter Lyskowski, Acting Department Director, DHSS Staff
County Presiding Commissioners, Board Chairs

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